

I am asking the FCC to reject the Radio Amateur Foundation's petition RM-10868. It's my belief that this doesn't represent the best interests of the public and will cost the FCC and ultimately taxpayers time and money to change the system. These are resources that could be put to better use. The RAF would prefer to make the HF world an exclusive club, requiring Morse Code be the price of admission. The real fact is that more amateur operators are an asset to this Country and we should do whatever is possible to encourage their entry into the amateur ranks. Again, I would ask that you turn down the Radio Amateur Foundation's petition RM-10868. Thank you for your consideration.